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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Woo Sik Yoo  
 Assignee: WaferMasters, Inc.  
 Title: Wafer Transport System And Method  
 Serial No.: 09/838,083 Filing Date: April 19, 2001  
 Examiner: Charles A. Fox Group Art Unit: 3652  
 Docket No.: M-11439 US

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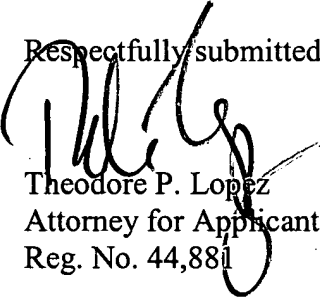
Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a 1-month extension of time within which to respond to the September 9, 2003 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until January 9, 2004 to respond.

Please charge the amount of \$55.00 as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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Respectfully submitted,



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Dear Sir:

- Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:
- (1)
  - (2) Return Receipt Postcard;
  - (3) Transmittal Sheet (in duplicate);
  - (4) Notice of Appeal; and
  - (5) Petition for one month extension of time.

- No additional fee is required.  
 The fee has been calculated as shown below:

### FILING FEES

	Claims Remaining <i>After Amendment</i>		Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate		Additional Fee	
Total Claims	18	Minus	20	=	0	x \$18.00	\$	0	
Independent Claims	2	Minus	4	=	0	x \$84.00	\$	0	
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